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Raw Sequence Listing Error Summary

ERROR DETECTED

SUGGESTED CORRECTION

SERIAL NUMBER:

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ATTN: NEW RULES CASES: PLEASE DISREGARD ENGLISH "ALPHA" HEADERS, WHICH WERE INSERTED BY PTO SOFTWARE

- 1 Wrapped Nucleics
 Wrapped Aminos The number/text at the end of each line "wrapped" down to the next line. This may occur if your file was retrieved in a word processor **after** creating it. Please adjust your right margin to .3; this will prevent "wrapping."

- 2 Invalid Line Length The rules require that a line **not exceed** 72 characters in length. This includes white spaces.

- 3 Misaligned Amino
 Numbering The numbering under each 5th amino acid is misaligned. Do **not** use tab codes between numbers; use **space characters**, instead.

- 4 Non-ASCII The submitted file was **not** saved in ASCII(DOS) text, as **required** by the Sequence Rules. Please **ensure your subsequent submission is saved in ASCII text**.

- 5 Variable Length Sequence(s) contain n's or Xaa's representing more than one residue. **Per Sequence Rules, each n or Xaa can only represent a single residue.** Please present the **maximum** number of each residue having variable length and indicate in the <220>-<223> section that some may be missing.

- 6 PatentIn 2.0
 "bug" A "bug" in PatentIn version 2.0 has caused the <220>-<223> section to be missing from amino acid sequences(s) . Normally, PatentIn would automatically generate this section from the previously coded nucleic acid sequence. Please manually copy the relevant <220>-<223> section to the subsequent amino acid sequence. **This applies to the mandatory <220>-<223> sections for Artificial or Unknown sequences.**

- 7 Skipped Sequences
 (OLD RULES) Sequence(s) missing. If intentional, please insert the following lines for **each** skipped sequence:
 (2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:X: (insert SEQ ID NO where "X" is shown)
 (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS: (Do not insert any subheadings under this heading)
 (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION:SEQ ID NO:X: (insert SEQ ID NO where "X" is shown)
 This sequence is intentionally skipped

 Please also adjust the "(ii) NUMBER OF SEQUENCES:" response to include the skipped sequences.

- 8 Skipped Sequences
 (NEW RULES) Sequence(s) missing. If **intentional**, please insert the following lines for **each** skipped sequence.
 <210> sequence id number
 <400> sequence id number
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- 9 Use of n's or Xaa's
 (NEW RULES) Use of n's and/or Xaa's have been detected in the Sequence Listing.
 Per 1.823 of Sequence Rules, use of <220>-<223> is **MANDATORY** if n's or Xaa's are present.
 In <220> to <223> section, please explain location of **n** or **Xaa**, and which residue **n** or **Xaa** represents.

- 10 Invalid <213>
 Response Per 1.823 of Sequence Rules, the only **valid** <213> responses are: Unknown, Artificial Sequence, or scientific name (Genus/species). <220>-<223> section is **required** when <213> response is Unknown or is Artificial Sequence

- 11 Use of <220> Sequence(s) 25 (and more) missing the <220> "Feature" and associated numeric identifiers and responses.
 Use of <220> to <223> is **MANDATORY** if <213> "Organism" response is "Artificial Sequence" or "Unknown." Please explain source of genetic material in <220> to <223> section.
 (See "Federal Register," 06/01/1998, Vol. 63, No. 104, pp. 29631-32) (Sec. 1.823 of Sequence Rules)

- 12 PatentIn 2.0
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RAW SEQUENCE LISTING

PATENT APPLICATION: US/09/272,835A

DATE: 05/24/2001

TIME: 17:52:27

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Output Set: C:\CRF3\05242001\I272835A.raw

5 <110> APPLICANT: Robert D. Klein
 6 Arnon Rosenthal
 7 Heidi S. Phillips
 8 Frederic J. de Sauvage
 10 <120> TITLE OF INVENTION: GFRalpha3 and its Uses
 12 <130> FILE REFERENCE: GENENT.065A
 14 <140> CURRENT APPLICATION NUMBER: US 09/272,835A
 15 <141> CURRENT FILING DATE: 1999-03-19
 17 <150> PRIOR APPLICATION NUMBER: US 60/079,124
 18 <151> PRIOR FILING DATE: 1998-03-23
 20 <150> PRIOR APPLICATION NUMBER: US 60/081,569
 21 <151> PRIOR FILING DATE: 1998-04-13
 23 <160> NUMBER OF SEQ ID NOS: 25

**Does Not Comply
Corrected Diskette Needed**

ERRORED SEQUENCES

1572 <210> SEQ ID NO: 25
 1573 <211> LENGTH: 17
 1574 <212> TYPE: DNA
 C--> 1576 <213> ORGANISM: Artificial
 W--> 1578 <220> FEATURE:
 W--> 1578 <223> OTHER INFORMATION:
 1578 <400> SEQUENCE: 25
 1579 acccagtcct ccctacc 17
 W--> 1582 W:\DOCS\BGY\SEQUENCE LISTING\GENENT.065A\GENENT.065ArevisedwithSubs.doc
 W--> 1583 042501
 E--> 1584 1
 E--> 1587 1

*This error appears throughout
Sequence Listing. Please check
all sequences*

*see item 11 on Error
summary sheet*

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Please Note:

Use of n and/or Xaa have been detected in the Sequence Listing. Please review the Sequence Listing to ensure that a corresponding explanation is presented in the <220> to <223> fields of each sequence which presents at least one n or Xaa.

VERIFICATION SUMMARY

DATE: 05/24/2001

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L:644 M:220 C: Keyword misspelled or invalid format, <213> ORGANISM for SEQ ID#:10
L:652 M:341 W: (46) "n" or "Xaa" used, for SEQ ID#:10
L:654 M:341 W: (46) "n" or "Xaa" used, for SEQ ID#:10
L:658 M:341 W: (46) "n" or "Xaa" used, for SEQ ID#:10
L:667 M:220 C: Keyword misspelled or invalid format, <213> ORGANISM for SEQ ID#:11
L:669 M:258 W: Mandatory Feature missing, <220> FEATURE:
L:669 M:258 W: Mandatory Feature missing, <223> OTHER INFORMATION:
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L:1569 M:258 W: Mandatory Feature missing, <220> FEATURE:
L:1569 M:258 W: Mandatory Feature missing, <223> OTHER INFORMATION:
L:1576 M:220 C: Keyword misspelled or invalid format, <213> ORGANISM for SEQ ID#:25
L:1578 M:258 W: Mandatory Feature missing, <220> FEATURE:
L:1578 M:258 W: Mandatory Feature missing, <223> OTHER INFORMATION:
L:1582 M:334 W: (2) Invalid Amino Acid in Coding Region, NUMBER OF INVALID KEYS:2
L:1583 M:336 W: Invalid Amino Acid Number in Coding Region, SEQ ID:25
L:1584 M:254 E: No. of Bases conflict, LENGTH:Input:1 Counted:17 SEQ:25
L:1587 M:254 E: No. of Bases conflict, LENGTH:Input:1 Counted:17 SEQ:25